

Children's Life in Armenia

Let's visit Vanadzor, Armenia.

Where is Armenia?





Armenian Alphabet

Աս	Բբ	Գգ	Դդ	Եե	Զզ	Էէ	Ըը	Թթ	Ժժ	Իի	Լլ	Խխ
ayb	ben	gim	da	ech	za	ēh	ět	t'o	zhe	ini	liwn	kheh
a	b	g	d	e, y	z	ē	ě	t'	zh	i	l	kh
[a]	[b]	[g]	[d]	[jɛ/ɛ]	[z]	[e]	[ə]	[tʰ]	[ʒ]	[ɪ]	[l]	[x]
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	20	30	40
Մմ	Կկ	Հհ	Ջճ	Ղղ	Շ՟	Մմ	ԾԾ	Նն	ՇՇ	Ոո	Չչ	Պպ
tsa	ken	ho	dza	ghad	cheh	men	yi	now	sha	vo	ch'a	peh
ts	k	h	dz	gh	ch	m	y, h	n	sh	o	ch'	p
[ts]	[k]	[h]	[dz]	[ɣ]	[tʃ]	[m]	[h-, -j]	[n]	[ʃ]	[vo, -o-]	[tʰ]	[p]
50	60	70	80	90	100	200	300	400	500	600	700	800
Ջջ	Ռռ	Սս	Վվ	Տտ	Րր	Ցց	Ո՛ո	Փփ	Գգ	Օօ	Ֆֆ	
jheh	ra	seh	vew	tiwn	reh	ts'o	yiwn	p'iwr	k'eh	ōh	feh	
j	r	s	v	t	r	ts'	w	p'	k'	ō	f	
[dʒ]	[r]	[s]	[v]	[t]	[r]	[tsʰ]	[u]	[pʰ]	[kʰ]	[o]	[f]	
900	1000	2000	3000	4000	5000	6000	7000	8000	9000	10000	20000	

Russian: Armenians' second language and second alphabet



Kids learn English as a 3rd language (and 3rd alphabet)



Dec. 7, 1988 earthquake















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Day Care/Kindergarten Building



School #5 (currently grades 1 – 11)



Middle school class



High school class









